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1 (SBU) On August 6, the Embassy received by diplomatic note a positive response from the MFA to the second demarche delivered on the International Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO) General Assembly (ref A). The note said that Uzbekistan supports the position of the United States on emissions trading and aircraft emissions charges related to local air quality. Post has not yet received a response to the first demarche that we delivered on the ICAO general assembly (ref B).

[1](#)2. (SBU) Comment: We rarely receive any response, let alone positive responses, to such demarches, so we are both surprised and pleased that the Government agrees to support the USG initiatives on environmental issues at the ICAO assembly. Post also will continue to encourage feedback on the first ICAO assembly demarche.  
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